

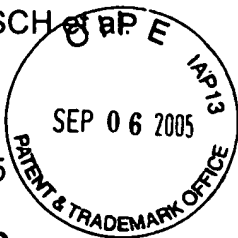
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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.99, Applicant hereby calls the following to the Examiner's attention.

The following documents were cited in a Search Report conducted in International Patent Application No. WO2004/071764, of which of the above-captioned application is a National Stage Application. In particular, the Examiner cited:

- (1) DE 1001 01 227 C, (KRONOTEC AG LUZERN), issued May 31, 2001, as a document category X and Y, relevant to claims 1, 2 and 3, with regard to abstract and Figure 1;
- (2) EP 1 219 409 A, (SCHALLEMUELLER K H), issued July 3, 2002, as a document category X, relevant to claim 1, with regard to figures 1 and 2;

- (3) DE 200 17 058 U, (BAKKER DE HOUTHANDEL C V), issued June 28, 2001, as a document category X, relevant to claim 1, with regard to figures 1;
- (4) DE 201 05 808 U, (ZENKNER MICHAEL), issued August 23, 2001, as a document category X, relevant to claim 1, with regard to figures 1-6;
- (5) GB 2 306 389 A, (MOSS MONTE), issued May 7, 1997, as a document category Y, relevant to claims 2 and 3, with regard to the figure;
- (6) AU 551 000 A, (STEELFINNE FABRICATIONS PTY LT), issued April 29, 1986, as a document category Y, relevant to claims 2 and 3, with regard to figures 1 and 2;
- (7) DE 295 11 984 U, (OKER TROLL UND WEBER GMBH), issued November 16, 1995, as a document category Y, relevant to claims 2 and 3, with regard to page 1;
- (8) US 4 470 357 A, (SANZARO CAESAR), issued September 11, 1984, as a document category Y, relevant to claims 2 and 3, with regard to figure 1;
- (9) US 4 520 057 A, (KAWAI FUMIO ET AL), issued May 28, 1985, as a document category A, relevant to claims 1 through 8, with regard to the figure;
- (10) DE 297 13 040 U, (RICHTER FURNIERTECHNIKGMBH &), issued November 6, 1997, as a document category A, relevant to claim 2, with regard to page 1;

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published patent applications are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Moreover, copies of the copies of the International Search Report and cited non-U.S. patent documents are being submitted herewith.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the materials cited and indicate such consideration by appropriately initialing the enclosed PTO-1449 Form and including a copy of the initialed form in the next official communication.

Applicant notes that while this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months from the filing date, Applicant has not received a first action on the merits from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Accordingly, consideration of the enclosed document is required under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(3).

However, if the first action on the merit has been mailed prior to the filing date of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any fees necessary to ensure consideration of the documents cited herein to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should there be any questions concerning this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,  
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